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MEMORANDUM FOR:
SUBJECT: Weekly Exchange rates and Changes in the Trace-weighted Dollar
1. The attached tables are in response to your request of 07 October for a series of weekly exchange rates for eleven currencies and the US dollar from July to present.
2. Table 1 includes the weekly exchange rate values for individual currencies. Table 2 provides the change in the trade-weighted value of the dollar relative to three base periods. An interpretation of all rates is provided in the attached notes.
answer any further questions you may have on this subject.
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Table 1
WEEKLY Exchange Rate for 11 Currencies A/

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		GER-			NETHER-	BEL-	Switzer-	-		Aus-	
	UК	MANY	ERANCE	ITALY	_LANDS_	GIUM	LAND	SWEDEN	DENMARK	IRIA	SPAIN
03 May 1974	2.4180	.4059	.2023	.0016	.3843	.0264	.3381	.2340	.1697	.0555	.0176
10 May 1974	2,4305		.2067	.0016	.3915	.0267		.2370	1721	.0565	.0177
17 May 1974	2.4105			.0016	.3861	.0267	.3445	.2350	.1710	.0580	.0177
24 May 1974	2.4000			.0016	.3834	.0267		.2345	.1725	.0575	.0177
31 May 1974 07 Jun 1974	2.3965			.0016	.3775	.0263		.2310	.1698	.0560	.0177
14 Jun 1974	2.4035			.0016	.3817	.0266		.2307	.1685	.0565	.0177
21 Jun 1974	2.3925		.2036	.0015	.3779	.0264		.2295	.1680	.0560	, 0177
28 Jun 1974	2.3800 2.3910			.0015	.3754	.0262		.2290	.1680	.0555	.0177
05 Jul 1974		.3925 .3925		.0015	.3769	.0265	3339	.2285	1675	.0555	.0177
12 Jul 1974	2.3855			.0016	.3770	.0263		.2285	.1686	.0555	.0177
19 Jul 1974	2.3928			.0016	.3798 .3797	.0264	.3356	2285		.0555	.0177
26 Jul 1974	2.3925		2137	.0016	.3821	.0265	.3391 .3404	.2295	.1700	.0555	.0177
02 Aug 1974	2.3845			.0015	3813	.0263	.3386	.2300	.1700	.0560	.0177
09 Aug 1974	2.3720		.2107		.3776	.0262	.3387	.2295 .2285	.1685	.0550	.0177
15 Aug 1974	2.3390		2076.		3735	.0258	3353	2265	.1680 .1650	.0555	.0178
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	אות אות	ANY	ERANCE	LIALY	_LANDS_	<u>GIUM</u>	LAND	SWEDEN	DENMARK	IRIA	S'PAIN
30 4	2.3225	3789	.2073	.0015	.3715	.0256	.3329	.2250	.1650	.0540	.0177
00.0	2.3167		.2073				.3324		.1640	.0538	.0177
17.0	2.3110 .3 2.3126 .3		.2075				.3317		.1615	.0535	.0177
00.0	2.3140 .3	_	.2077				.3325		.1600	.0535	.0177
07 0	2.3330				· · ·				.1620	.0540	.0177
01: 0	2.3350 .3		.2105			.0255		2245	.1633	.0533	.0177
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TABLE 2

CHANGE IN TRADE-WEIGHTED VALUE OF THE DOLLAR SINCE:B/

		1.81	
	Dec 1966 %	18 Dec 1971	19 March 1973
• • •	<i>1</i> 0	%	%
07 Dec 1973	-15.19	-5.85	.78
04 JAN 1974	-13.88	-4.60	2,02
01 FEB 1974	-12.66	-3,44	3.14
01 Mar. 1974	-14.56	-5.28	1,31
05 Apr 1974	-16.92	-7.53	88
03 May 1974	-18.00	-8.56	-1.91
07 Jun 1974	-17.57	-8.16	-1.52
05 Jul 1974	-16.42	-7.07	45
02 Aug 1974	-15.31	-6.03	•55
09 Aug 1974	-15.03	-5.76	.81
16 Aug 1974	-14.40	-5.15	1.42
23 Aug 1974	-14.04	-4.81	1.76
30 Aug 1974	-13.60	-4.37	2,20
06 SEP 1974	-13.25	-4.02	2.54
13 SEP 1974	-13.72	-4.48	2.09
20 SEP 1974	-14.13	-4.87	1.71
27 SEP 1974	-13.87	-4.62	1.97
04 Ост 1974	-14.15	-4.89	1.70

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NOTES

A/DATA Sources Include:

- 1. Foreign market closing rate (foreign markets)
 - A. UNITED KINGDOM
 - B. GERMANY
 - c. FRANCE
 - D. ITALY
 - E. NETHERLANDS
 - F. BELGIUM
 - G. SWITZERLAND
- 2. NEW YORK CLOSING RATE (NEW YORK TIMES)
 - A. SWEDEN
 - B. DENMARK
 - c. AUSTRIA
 - D. SPAIN

B/TRADE-WEIGHTED RELATIVE TO 16 Major Foreign Currencies

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